

HUNT ON ROOFS FOR POLICEMAN BELIEVED SLAIN

Detectives Go From House-tops to Cellars in Hunt for James J. Judge.

THE MYSTERY DEEPENS.

Was Last Seen at Stoop of His Own Home in Full Uniform.

Believing that James J. Judge, the missing policeman of the Bronx Bureau, was dead on the roof or in the chimney of one of the houses in the vicinity of his home, No. 226 East 21st Street, a squad of ten detectives and three men in uniform carrying lanterns began a search of these houses last night. The search continued until 2:30 this morning, but no trace of the policeman was found.

Judge, who had a clean record, was assigned to strike duty during the recent differences between the chauffeurs and the garage owners. His hours were long, and on the night of December 2, when he started to his home, dressed in full uniform, he was near a collapse from cold and loss of sleep.

Said He Was Very Sick. He bought a box of quinine pills at a nearby drug store and then went into the rear room of the Hub Cafe, Twenty-seventh Street and Third Avenue. To Michael Sheridan, the bartender, Judge complained that he was very sick.

"He took two or three of the pills and gave him a drink," Sheridan said. When he left I saw him start for his home. He was only a few feet from the stoop when I turned the other way. I am positive he walked up the stoop."

That Sheridan had seen Judge the night of his disappearance was only learned by Deputy Commissioner of Police Flynn last night. Flynn was then asked by John J. Smyth, brother-in-law of Judge, to search the houses in the neighborhood.

From the day of Judge's disappearance it has been the belief of many of his associates on the force that he met with foul play, probably at the hands of strikers or sympathizers. It has been shown that the day before his disappearance Judge took his month's pay and turned it all over to his wife, with the exception of 50c.

Searched Roofs and Cellars. The men who searched for Judge were under Lieutenant of Detectives Flannery. Each of the searchers carried a lantern. First the roofs of all the houses on the block were gone over and detectives and policemen peered down the chimneys and probed them with long poles. Then the search went to cellars and basements. Wood boxes and coal bins were gone into.

Not satisfied that Judge was not dead and his body concealed in some apartment the police and detectives made a house to house search. Families were aroused and questioned and special attention was paid to vacant rooms.

While the search was being conducted Mrs. Judge and her two small children stood in the window of their home. Mrs. Judge is in a state of collapse.

The story as told by Sheridan convinced the police that Judge was waylaid in the doorway of his home and probably put to death and his body concealed.

TO SAVE THEIR JOBS.

Move to Transfer Many State Positions to Competitive Class.

ALBANY, Dec. 12.—Republicans who have held office for years are making desperate efforts to retain their positions under the new Democratic administration. When the State Civil Service Commission meets in New York Thursday it will consider applications from leaders of various State departments for the transfer of about twenty-five State positions from the exempt to the competitive class.

Commissioner Austin of the Forest, Fish and Game Department wants the position of secretary and Chief Game Protector placed in the competitive class. Secretary of State Koenig asks that the positions of Chief of the Automobile Bureau and messenger be thus transferred, and a similar application will be made by Fiscal Supervisor McCarthy in the case of Inspector of Buildings in the Supervisor's Department.

The deputies attached to the Superintendent of Elections of New York, numbering about one hundred, ask that they be reclassified. Superintendent of Public Buildings Cabell has proposed a reclassification of nearly every position in his department with the exception of inspectors.



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JAMES J. JUDGE.

GRAND JURY TO FIX RESPONSIBILITY IN NEWARK FIRE

Justice Gummere, in Addressing Panel, Warns Against Influence of Public Clamor.

Chief Justice Gummere of the Supreme Court, instructing the new Essex County Grand Jury to-day, devoted his entire address to a discussion of the investigation which it is to make into the cause of the deaths of twenty-four women employees of the Wolf Manufacturing Company in the fire of Nov. 25.

This investigation, Justice Gummere said, is the most important matter before the Grand Jury. He spoke of the difficulty of approaching the investigation of such a shocking tragedy in a calm and dispassionate mood and warned the jury-men to act without prejudice. They were told to refrain from holding any person or persons responsible merely to satisfy public clamor or sentiment, and that they must decide upon the responsibility for the disaster upon the evidence alone. The Justice went exhaustively into the law governing the duties of employer toward employee with regard to protection of life. He pointed out that it is the duty of the owner of a building, according to the laws of the State of New Jersey, to supply fire-escapes, but that it is the duty of an employer renting a factory to furnish free and unobstructed passageway to the windows opening on the fire-escapes. He also alluded to the possibility that, in a state of panic, great loss of life may result in a building where every precaution has been taken to the end of saving lives.

"If you can put your hand," said the Court in conclusion, "on a man and say that he is responsible for the loss of life it is your duty to indict him. If you cannot it is your duty to say that in your findings no one was criminally responsible."

SENATORS TO VOTE SOON ON DIRECT ELECTION.

Question of Constitutional Amendment Almost Ready to Be Submitted for Action.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—More than a year ago Senator Bristow of Kansas offered a resolution providing for an amendment to the Constitution by which Senators should be directly elected. It was referred to the Judiciary Committee, by which it was pigeon-holed for months. Finally, yielding to urgent demands, the resolution was referred to Senators Morah, Dillingham and Rayner as a sub-committee. It was agreed that the entire committee would approve the determination reached by them.

The sub-committee expects to report next week. It will be in favor of election of Senators by direct vote of the people. The sub-committee divided on the question Senators Borah and Rayner will make a favorable report, while Senator Dillingham will dissent.

If the report is accepted by the full committee as pledged in advance it will be ready for early transmission to the Senate for final action.

All the old line Senators will oppose any change. The progressives and Democrats, who would form a majority in favor of the proposition, would be able to control the eventual disposition of the matter.

A Novel Procedure.

(From the Boston Transcript.)

"So when Belle rejected Jack he went into a hotel and proposed to Maud."

"Yes; but that wasn't the best of it. What do you think? He gave Maud an order on Belle for the engagement ring."

CROWDED TROLLEY IN HEAD-ON CRASH WITH AUTO TRUCK

Motorman of B. R. T. Car Will Probably Die—Women and Girls Hurt.

VAN SKIDS IN SNOW.

Runs on the Track and Smashes Platform, Pinning Man Inside.

Upward of sixty passengers, mainly women and girls bound for their work in Manhattan, were badly shaken up and some were cut by glass when a crowd-strewn car of the B. R. T. crashed into a huge auto truck in Bedford Avenue, between North Portland and North Fifteenth Streets, to-day. The whole front end of the car was caved in. The motorman sustained hurt, which may cause his death.

Filled with strap-hangers, the car was headed for the Williamsburg Bridge. The motorman had taken advantage of the long unbroken stretch, the unimproved track that is to be McCarran Park, to speed up to his best gait in order to make up for time lost at crossings and ice-clogged switches. The long centre aisle was jammed and a close-packed group of half-frozen factory hands and clerks were shivering on the rear platform as the car raced toward the East River.

Auto Truck Skids.

Coming in the opposite direction was a great lumbering motor truck from the Greenport works of the Dwight & Church Soda Company, laden high with heavy packages, and operated by George Dougherty of No. 35 Morgan Avenue, Brooklyn. As the two vehicles were about to pass, the wheels of the truck skidded on the hard packed snow and the big van slewed over onto the right of way of the car.

An instant later there was a terrific head-on smash that stopped both the car and the truck dead short. The vestibule of the car was smashed in as though it had been pasted over, pinning the motorman, Joseph Copper, of No. 32 Eagle Street, fast in the wreckage. More than half the windows were shattered and half way back the wooden sides of the car were splintered and bulged.

The truck, strange to say, was hardly damaged, but the driver, Dougherty, was flung twenty feet away. He landed head first on the roadway. Probably the snow, which caused the collision, saved him from a fractured skull or a broken neck, for it lessened the force of his fall.

Girls Faint in the Aisles. In a panic the passengers fought with one another to get off the car. Fully a dozen of them were bleeding where the sharp splinters of glass had slashed them, and three or four girls fainted and fell in the aisles.

By the time Dr. Goldstein arrived with an ambulance two policemen, aided by citizens, had torn away the fragments of the flattened vestibule and released

COPPER THE MOTORMAN. HE WAS UNCONSCIOUS AND SUFFERING FROM A DISLOCATED HIP, BROKEN RIBS AND PROBABLY HAS INTERNAL INJURIES. HE WAS TAKEN TO THE WILLIAMSBURG HOSPITAL IN A CRITICAL CONDITION.

The accident tied up traffic for half an hour at the height of the rush hour.

RUSSIA IS RELENTING TOWARD THE JEWS.

Czar Sanctions Cabinet's Resolution Touching Residence in Moscow Province.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 12.—An Imperial order has been published approving a resolution recently adopted by the Cabinet permitting Jewish merchants of the first guild to reside in the city and province of Moscow.

On Nov. 1 the Czar approved the opening of new sections to Jews for residence. Heretofore legal residence of Jews had been restricted to that part of the Polish province and the Ukraine known as "The Pale." The new sections embraced twelve districts in the provinces of Vitebsk, Volhynia, Mouliev, Poltava and Kherson and the town of Yekaterinodar.

The action of the Government resulted from petitions of the inhabitants of the newly opened localities who desired the admission of Jewish residents as a means of improving local business conditions.

CHILDREN'S HOME BURNS.

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Dec. 12.—A forty-three children, inmates of the Children's Home here, were at prayers, just before retiring last night, fire started in the building. Ralph Barnes, seven years old, was burned to death, and the structure was destroyed, causing a loss of \$10,000.

Besides the older children, there were fourteen babies in the building. These were carried to safety before the fire reached their ward.



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